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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification, dated 23rd July 1927.

The attention of the Public is invited to the detailed notification dated 23rd July 1927, regarding the sale of the right of collecting daily grazing fees for cattle passing through the forests of Chamrajnagar Range to the British Territory during the year 1927-28, published on pages 587-588 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 4th August 1927.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DIVISION.

LEASE OF GRASS AND GRAZING.

Notification dated 12th August 1927.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of harvesting the grass crop or grazing cattle, except goats in the undermentioned plantations of the Kadur Forest Division, up to the end of December 1927, will be sold by public auction on the dates and at the places specified against each plantation by the District Forest Officer or the Range Forest Officer, subject to the confirmation by the Conservator of Forests when the value exceeds Rs. 500:—

Name of the Taluk and Forest Range	Name of the plantation	Area in acre A.	g.	Distance from Taluk Headquarters or Railway Station	Place and date of sale
Chikmagalur Taluk, Kadur Range.	1. Angajanahalli ..	10	0	Five miles from Chikmagalur.	Wednesday, 7th September 1927
	2. Kadrimidri ..	10	0	Do ..	
	3. Mattavara ..	146	1		
Do do ..	4. Turuvanahalli ..	25	0	Three miles from Kadur	

2. The successful bidder will be required to deposit twenty-five per cent of the purchase money, soon after the sale is closed and to pay the balance together with the local cess at one anna per rupee, railway cess at six pies per rupee on the whole amount within seven days from the date of confirmation of the sale, failing which the deposit shall be forfeited to Government and the right resold at the risk of the first purchaser who will not participate, however, in any gain, but will make good any loss sustained by Government by such re-sale, the deficit being recoverable as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. License to begin grazing will be issued immediately after the confirmation of the sale and on the full payment of the sale amount together with the cesses thereon.

3. The purchaser shall not sublet the harvesting as pasturage without previous sanction of the District Forest Officer. When such sanction is accorded, the sub-lessee will be bound by all the terms and conditions of the sale jointly and severally with the original purchaser. The purchaser shall furnish a list of men allowed to enter the plantations, etc., to cut and remove grass and shall hold himself responsible for breach of any of the Forest Rules and for the occurrence of fire in the plantations, etc., due either to himself or his men, which will be dealt with under the provisions of the Mysore Forest Regulation. He shall deposit a sum equivalent to 10 per cent of the purchase money for the due fulfilment of the lease and shall execute an agreement for that purpose.

4. The purchaser shall not scrape or dig the grass in the plantations, but shall only cut and remove it or graze it.

5. The grass crop in the plantations will be allowed to be cut and removed or grazed only between sunrise and sunset up to the end of the period stipulated, *viz.*, end of December 1927. No storage of grass will be allowed in them. Cattle will be allowed to graze in the plantations only between sunrise and sunset.

6. The purchaser will not interfere with any forest operation such as planting, sowing and felling that the Forest Department may wish to conduct in the leased area. Should any damage be caused by such operations to the grass crop, he shall not be entitled to any compensation.

N.B.—The lessee will maintain the fencing, trench and other boundary marks in order

7. Tree growth should not be injured or lopped.

8. In the event of breach of any of the conditions specified in the sale notice or agreement the lease will be liable to be cancelled, all the produce collected confiscated and a penalty not exceeding Rs. 25 levied and recovered as an arrear of land revenue by the District Forest Officer and the security deposit or part thereof forfeited.

Notification dated 13th August 1927.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collection and removal of bamboos in the undermentioned Forests of the Kadur Division for the year 1927-28, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division, at 2 P.M. on Wednesday the 7th September 1927 in the District Forest Office at Chikmagalur Sandal Koti.

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Bamboos		Date of sale
		Big	Small	
Koppa	Devadan State Forest ...	5,000	5,000	On 7th September 1927.
	Basavankote State Forest ...	5,000	5,000	
	Halasur State Forest ...	5,000	5,000	
	Basti State Forest ...	1,000	1,000	
Mudigere	Saragode State Forest ...	5,000	5,000	
Kadur	Doddenagudda District Forest.	5,000	10,000	

1. Each bidder shall deposit Rs. 25 with the sale conducting officer and the deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned after the sale.

2. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

3. The highest bidder shall deposit twenty-five per cent of the lease amount including the deposit already made immediately the sale is concluded, together with the Local, Railway and Education Cesses at two annas per rupee on the full sale amount. If he fails to do so, the produce will be resold at his risk in which case, he shall not participate in any profit arising therefrom, but on the other hand, shall be liable for any loss that may thereby be caused to Government, which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue.

4. The successful purchaser or lessee shall pay the balance of the lease amount in full within a week from the date on which the intimation of confirmation is given to him, failing which, the amount deposited or the whole amount paid already, as the case may be, forfeited to Government and the right resold subject to the conditions stipulated in para 3 *supra*.

5. The lessee shall sign the agreement binding himself to observe the following conditions and it shall be executed within a week from the date on which the confirmation of the sale may be intimated to him; in default, the money paid by him will be forfeited to Government and the right disposed of by resale at his risk as defined in paras 3 and 4 *supra*. The lessee shall not be allowed to enter the forest and cut bamboos until he has executed the agreement and paid the full amount.

Conditions

(*a*) The bamboos shall be collected or stored outside the block at such place or places as may be fixed by the Range Officer concerned and allowed to be removed on check by him and after a "permit to remove" is issued. Removal without such permits will be an offence to be dealt with according to law.

(*b*) The lessee shall not cut bamboos outside the limits of the block to which the lease refers nor exploit immature clumps less than two years old.

(*c*) The lessee will be personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants or coolies in the business of collection and removal of bamboos and for preventing and cutting of clumps under two years, by himself, his agents, servants or coolies.

(*d*) The lessee shall not sell the right purchased by him to other person or persons or appoint any agent or agents to work for him, without obtaining the previous permission in writing of the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) The lessee shall collect and remove the full quantity purchased from the limits of the forest before the end of June 1928. No permission will be granted for cutting and collection of bamboos after the 30th June 1928.

(*f*) The lessee shall accept the minimum quantity fixed in the notification as available in the block or area concerned and shall have no claim on the department for any deficit that may be found. If he removes any quantity above the minimum fixed within the lease period, he will pay for the excess quantity at auction sale rates.

(*g*) The lessee shall abide by such orders as the District Forest Officer may issue regulating the transport of bamboos to and collection at their rafting stations.

(*h*) The lessee will be held responsible for the occurrence of any fire within the forest, if there is sufficient ground for the Forest Department to suspect that it was caused by his negligence or by that of his employees.

(*i*) Neither the lessee nor his employees shall enter the forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*j*) The lessee shall soon after the sale is confirmed, deposit Rs. 100. (one hundred only) as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the money deposited as security shall be forfeited to Government in whole or in part as the Conservator of Forests may decide and the lease liable to be cancelled.

6. The sale does not prohibit the issue of retail licenses at seigniorage rates or the exercise of the rights of the villagers.

P. WOOTHIAH,
District Forest Officer.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 6th August 1927.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove timber and fuel trees in the undermentioned coupes of the State Forests in the Chitaldrug District for 1924-25, will be sold by public auction, by the District Forest Officer, on the dates and places noted hereunder.

The sale will commence at 2 P.M. precisely on each day and will be subject to confirmation of the District Forest Officer or Conservator of Forests as the case may be:—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Name of Working Circle	Coupe No.	Area	Place of sale	Date of sale
Holalkere	Gargakaval (near Holalkere)—Karijali, (2) Dindiga, Kagali, Chujjalu, all fit for fuel and Charcoal and Bage, Bevu good as timber.	Gargakaval	20	71	Holalkere	18th August 1927
	Devaragudda (between Holalkere and Hosdurga)—Karijali, (2) Dindiga, Kagali, Chujjalu, all fit for fuel and Charcoal and Bage, Bevu good as timber.	Lokadalalu	20	101	Do	Do
	Do do	Doddagatta	20	122	Do	Do
	Do do	Kallahalli	20	122	Do	Do
		Galbenahalli	20	112	Do	Do
	Jankal—Karijali, (2) Dindiga, Kagali, Chujjalu, all fit for fuel and Charcoal and Bage, Bevu good as timber.	Nellikatte	21	107	Hosdurga	19th August 1927
		Gundikere	21	85	Do	Do
		Jankal	21	107	Do	Do
		Hulikatte	21	107	Do	Do
Chitaldrug	Lakkihalli Mostly kamara with fine timber poles and very good charcoal wood. (Chitaldrug is about 25 miles and Hosdurga Railway is about the same distance.	Gownahalli	9	Old coupes	Do	22nd September 1927.
		Do	23	105	Do	Do
		Kolal	10	Old coupes	Do	Do
		Do	18	118	Do	Do
		Madihalli	11	Old coupes	Do	Do
		Do	17	85	Do	Do
		Lakkihalli	10	Old coupes	Do	Do
		Do	22	118	Do	Do
	Lakkihalli State Forest	Goolihoshalli	11	Old coupes	Do	Do
			23	106 acres	Do	Do
		Kankere	10	Old coupes	Do	Do
			20	118	Do	Do
Davangere	Bevinhalli State Forest (24 miles from Chitaldrug, 20 miles from Davangere).	Bevinhalli W. C.	17	Old coupes	Bharmasagar T. B.	23rd August 1927
		Do	18	43⅜	Do	Do
		Do South	17	Old coupes	Do	Do
			18	42⅜ acres	Do	Do
Holalkere	Malebennur State Forest (12 miles from Harihar and 12 miles from Harihar).	Malebennur West W. C.	23	117	Malebennur	25th August 1927
		Malebenur Eastern	24	117 acres	Do	Do
Chitaldrug	Jogimatti State Forest (chief market Chitaldrug, where there is demand for both fuel and charcoal).	Jogimatti W. C.	4	Old coupes	Chitaldrug D. F. O.	29th August 1927
		Do	18	106	Do	Do
		Kakkeharu	4	Old coupes	Do	Do
			14	85	Do	Do
		Kellehadlu	2	Old coupes	Do	Do
			15	85	Do	Do
		Chikasidavanhalli	14	Old coupes	Do	Do
			15	85 acres	Do	Do
		Yerehalli W. C.	11	Old coupes	Do	Do
			15	106	Do	Do
		Yelakurnahalli	13	Old coupes	Do	Do
			14	64 acres	Do	Do
		Kurumarsdi	4	Old coupes	Do	Do
			14	105 acres	Do	Do
		Uppanaikanhalli	10	Old coupes	Do	Do
			15	85 acres	Do	Do
Davangere	Kaagalaudurga State Forest (Kagli, Dindiga and Chujjalu, all good for charcoal. About 25 miles from Davangere the chief market for the forest.)	Magadi W. C.	13	Coupes (old)	Jagalur	5th September 1927.
		Do	21	48 acres	Jagalur T. B.	Do
		Talavar Kariyappanahalli.	20	Old coupes	Do	Do
			21	64 acres	Do	Do
		Gurusidapur	20	Old coupes	Do	Do
			21	64 acres	Do	Do
		Rakshakalgudda	20	Old coupes	Do	Do
			21	107 acres	Do	Do
		Tarchalli	20	Old coupes	Do	Do
			21	117 acres	Do	Do
		Srirambande	20	Old coupes	Do	Do
			21	117 acres	Do	Do
		Rangiandurga	20	Old coupes	Do	Do
			21	117 acres	Do	Do

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Name of Working Circle	Coupe No.	Area	Place of sale	Date of sale
Davangere	Anabur State Forest .. (Mostly Kagli which is very good for charcoal. Chief markets are Jagalur about 6 miles and Davangere which is about 35 miles).	Bangarakangudda..	20	Old coupes	Jagalur T. B. ..	5th September 1927.
			21	80 acres	Do ..	Do
		Anabur W. C. ..	20	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			21	80 acres	Do ..	Do
		Byatagaranhalli ..	20	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			21	80 acres	Do ..	Do
		Kyasanhalli ..	20	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			21	80 acres	Do ..	Do
Holalkere	Hiresdvi State Forest .. (Kagli and Chujjalu, both of which are good for charcoal and fuel 7 miles from Rayadarga).	Hiresdvi W C ..	9 to 11	Old coupes	Hanagal T. B. ..	9th September 1927.
			21	114 acres	Do ..	Do
		Devargudda W. C.	9 to 12	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			21	107 acres	Do ..	Do
	Kamarakaval .. (Almost pure Kamara specially good for charcoal 20 miles from Rayadurga, 23 miles from Challakere and 40 miles from Chitaldrug.)	Chinobanhalli ..	2 to 13	Coupes (old)	Do ..	Do
			21	117 acres	Do ..	Do
	Mamarakaval State Forest ..	Muthigarhalli ..	11	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
	Do do ..		21	117 acres	Do ..	Do
		Bomagondankere ..	12	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			21	117 acres	Do ..	Do
	Konasagara do ..	Konasagara W. C.	10	92 acres	Do	Do
	Krishnarajapura ..	Krishnarajapur ..	3 to 15	Old coupes	Rampur T. B. ..	12th September 1927.
			21	96 acres	Do ..	Do
		Nallaradikondapura	4 to 15	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			21	96 acres	Do ..	Do
	Sanjivarayankote .. (Good kamara timber and kamara fuel fit for charcoal. Five or six miles from Rayadurga—Bellári Railway Station).	Sanjivrayankote ..	16	Old coups	Do ..	Do
			21	96 acres	Do ..	Do
		Chinivalgudda ..	20	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			21	103 acres	Do ..	Do
	Bondravi State Forest ..	Hanumanpura ..	3 to 18	Coupes (old)	Do ..	Do
	Do do ..	Do	21	53 acres	Do ..	Do
		Bondravi W. C. ..	3 to 14	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			21	53 acres	Do ..	Do
Hiriyur	Marikanve State Forest .. (Mostly mamara fit for timber and good charcoal and partly dindaga and kagli which are also quite good for charcoal. About 30 miles from Chitaldrug and 20 miles from Hosdurga).	Marikanve W. C. ..	23	Old coupes	Hiriyur ..	19th September 1927.
			24	128 acres	Do ..	Do
		Uttaro W. C. ..	23	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			24	128 acres	Do ..	Do
		Vajra W. C. ..	23	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			24	106 acres	Do ..	Do
		Haldyamanahalli ..	23	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			24	105 acres	Do ..	Do
	Marikanve State Forest ..	Kasapanahalli W.C.	23	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			24	105 acres	Do ..	Do
		Yelladakere ..	23	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			24	120 acres	Do ..	Do
		Arasingudi ..	23	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			24	105 acres	Do ..	Do
		Uluvinal ..	23	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			24	105 acres	Do ..	Do
	Swarnamukhi State Forest ..	Mavinmadu W. C.	14	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			15	105 acres	Do ..	Do
	Do do ..	Bhutangudi ..	14	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			15	102 acres	Do ..	Do
	Kudurekanve do ..	Kanchipur W. C. ..	19	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			20	110 acres	Do ..	Do
		Buksagar W. C. ..	22	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			23	110 acres	Do ..	Do
		Kadavagere ..	21	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			22	135 acres	Do ..	Do
		Tamadihalli ..	19	Old coupes	Do ..	Do
			20	110 acres	Do ..	Do
Holalkere	Nirthadi State Forest .. (Near Davangere along the Railway line from Mayakonda to Chikjajur and also near Chitaldrug).	Nirthadi, W. C. ..	22	117 acres	Davangere	24th August 1927
		Kanchamaranhalli.	20	117 acres	Do	Do
		Rampura W. C. ..	2	117 acres	Do ..	Do
		Tyagadahalli ..	22	117 acres	Do ..	Do
		Palya ..	22	107 acres	Do ..	Do

2. Each bidder shall deposit a sum of Rs. 25 as earnest money before he is permitted to bid, which will be returned to him at the close of the sale, if his bid be not accepted. The accepted bidder shall, immediately after the close of the sale, pay the one-fourth sale amount less the deposit already paid, with Local and Railway and Education cesses on the full sale amount, failing which the earnest money will be forfeited and the right will be immediately resold at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may occur by such resale, which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, but he will not participate in any gain.

3. All timber-yielding trees will be sold by cubic foot, *i.e.*, bidders will have to state the rate per cubic foot at which they are prepared to purchase such trees. Fuel will be sold by the acre or by the whole coupe.

4. The District Forest Officer reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

5. The accepted bidder shall within a fortnight from the date on which the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him remit the three-fourths amount due by him and shall execute an agreement accepting the terms specified below, and deposit Rs. 50 for the due fulfilment of the conditions failing which the amount already deposited will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold at his risk as noted in clause 2 *supra*.

N.B.—Old coupes available for exploitation in the above Forests will also be put up for sale at the auction.

(2) The estimate of the yield will be announced at the time of sale but the quantities are not guaranted.

(3) Fuel obtained from the coupes may be converted into Charcoal outside the State Forests.

Conditions.

(*a*) That the accepted bidder binds himself to do fellings by the coppice method systematically from one end of the Coupe, Sub-coupe by sub-coupe,

(*b*) to do both fellings and coppicing in one operation in such a way that the outer edge of stumps touches the ground and is not split or jammed and that the top of the stump is not more than three-fourth feet from the ground,

(*c*) not to cut standards and unmarked trees, fruit trees sold as Minor Forest Produce and poles and saplings of and below one foot in girth and not to convert into fuel, timber trees marked at the base for fellings as timber, on pain of paying a penalty of Rs. 10 for each tree so unauthorisedly cut,

(*d*) to stack fuel in the opens near fellings or at the place appointed by the Range Officer and to leave poles and logs dressed at the stumps till the Range Officer measures them and issues pass ports for their removal and not to remove either timber or fuel or charcoal without a pass port issued by the Range Officer,

(*e*) to complete all fellings in the coupe by the end of January 1928 and all removals by 15th February 1928, after which last date the contractor shall have no right whatsoever to the coupe and the timber and fuel either standing unfelled or felled and unremoved and no refund will be made by Government for any felling and removal left in arrears,

(*f*) that the Forest Department is not responsible for the watch and ward of the produce he cuts and collects,

(*g*) to work out the lease himself and not to make over the lease to others without the written permission of the District Forest Officer,

(*h*) to maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer for the purpose of showing the number of trees felled and the out-turn of timber and fuel and charcoal and produce it for the inspection of all Forest Officers above the rank of guards, whenever required,

(*i*) not to do any operations in the Forests such as fellings and removing, after sunset and before the sun rise,

(*j*) to abide by the rules of the Department as regards kindling of fire,

(*k*) to hold himself responsible for all Forest Offences committed by his agent,

(*l*) To agree to the cancellation of the contract and the forfeiture of his Security Deposit for the breach of any term set forth above by himself or his agent or employees or workmen.

N.B.—In matters of dispute, the orders of the Conservator of Forests are final.

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